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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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**AMENDMENT WITH
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 26 July 2007, applicant is filing this Amendment along with a Request for Continued Examination, a Substitute Declaration and an Information Disclosure Statement.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of the claims in this application.

REMARKS begin on page 3 of this paper.